

PAVING CASE IS TO GO BEFORE A JURY

After Being in Courts for Years Suit of City of Moline Against Barber Company Will Be Heard.

ATTORNEYS SET TRIAL DATE

Legal Victory Would Mean Recovery of Approximately \$45,000 by Municipality—May Call Experts.

After being in the courts for years the case of the city of Moline against the Barber Asphalt company to recover damages on account of the failure of the Fifteenth street paving to hold up, will for the first time get before a jury this month.

It is understood that with the consent of the court an agreement has been reached by Attorney James Johnston and attorneys representing the Barber interests to bring the case to trial in the Rock Island circuit court Monday, Feb. 28.

An advance understanding as to the exact date of trial was necessary, it is said, because both sides may wish to bring experts on asphalt paving here to testify.

Charge Inferior Materials.

The case is of vast importance to Moline, for should the city ultimately be the victor it will mean the recovery of approximately \$45,000. This, according to a promise made by Mayor Carlson, will be used to repave Fifteenth street and for no other purpose.

The city will base its attack on the allegation that materials used in construction of the pavement were not up to specification. What the defense will aver is not known.

EVANS ORDERED TO INSANE HOSPITAL

E. J. Evans, recently arrested by the Moline police for an attack on relatives there, was brought into county court yesterday afternoon where he was found to be in need of mental treatment and he was ordered to Watertown hospital by Judge N. A. Larson. The medical commission was composed of Dr. B. J. Lachner and Dr. A. E. Williams.

MOLINE MAN IS HURT IN SHOPS AT SILVIS

Edward Peterson, residing at 1225 Sixth avenue, Moline, was the victim of an accident which occurred this morning while he was greasing a machine in the Silvis shops. The forefinger of his left hand was smashed so badly that amputation proved neces-

sary. The young man apparently did not see the belt under which the finger was squeezed till too late and the member was crushed almost to fragments. He was hurried to Moline on the shop train and was taken to the office of Dr. A. H. Arp. Later Peterson was removed to his home.

SUBMITS PLAN TO CREATE INTEREST

State's Attorney Asks Approval of Officers of State Association of Method to Broaden Scope.

State's Attorney Floyd Thompson, president of the Illinois State's Attorneys' association, today sent out letters to the officers of the organization submitting to them a plan whereby he hopes to broaden the scope of the organization.

Under Mr. Thompson's suggestions it is aimed to create an active interest among the state's attorneys in the southern part of the state. Those south of Springfield have never been actively affiliated with the association.

Mr. Thompson has suggested that three meetings be held instead of one or two in the past. Last year two sessions were held, one at Quincy in connection with the meeting of the Illinois Bar association and the other at Springfield in December when officers were elected.

The present plan is to hold a spring meeting in either East St. Louis or Mount Vernon on April 15. Business sessions will be held in the morning and afternoon and in the evening there will be a banquet.

The summer session will be held in Chicago June 1, 2 and 3, under Mr. Thompson's plan. This will permit a joint session with the Illinois Society of American Institute of Criminal Law and Criminology, which will be in session June 1, and the state bar association which will meet June 2 and 3. The third meeting will be held in Springfield at which time officers will be elected.

Pupils Save \$206.31.

Hawthorne leads in school collections made by the State bank of Rock Island today. The collection made by this school amounts to \$42.72, while that of Eugene Field, ranking second on the list, amounts to \$29.85.

Audubon	9.00
Eugene Field	29.85
Frances Willard	5.87
Grant	20.51
Hawthorne	42.72
Horace Mann	17.69
Irving	24.62
Kemble	18.69
Lincoln	10.51
Longfellow	26.85
Total	\$206.31

INDICT ANDERSON FOR KILLING PAL

Murder Charge Brought Against Horse Trader for Slaying Roy Lenox.

HAS MADE A FULL CONFESSION

Indications Are He Will Plead Guilty When Case is Called at Cambridge.

Frank Anderson, horse trader, has been indicted at Cambridge for the murder of his companion, Roy Lenox. The inquisitorial body completed its labors Wednesday afternoon, but the criminal docket will not be started for perhaps two weeks.

Anderson, it is understood, already has confessed to throwing the body of Lenox into an abandoned well near Cambridge, after killing him with an ax following a quarrel over a horse trade. Anderson admits that he loaded the body upon a spring wagon which he owned, and wrapping the wounded head in a carpet to keep the blood from running on the ground, started from Shekel's corner, near the northwest corner of Weller township, for the north, intending to hide the body in the weeds. After traveling a mile north, he turned east and went for two miles, where an abandoned well was discovered and where the body is said to have been thrown, planks being placed over the top of the well.

Girl is Released.

Bessie Tracey, 16-year-old girl, who for two years lived with Anderson and supposed she was his wife, has admitted hearing the men quarrel on the night of the killing, but says she went to sleep and did not witness the crime, and did not know until the next day Lenox was missing.

The girl, following the confession of Anderson, was given her liberty and returned to her father in Bloomington. She signed an agreement to return should she be needed as a witness. Anderson is said to have been in Joliet penitentiary twice before. Indications are he will plead guilty when the case is called.

Edwin Dice, court reporter, came here last evening from Cambridge, where he has been engaged this week, and will return on Monday.

IN MOLINE LODGES

Nobel lodge, No. 288, Order of Vasa, will celebrate the second anniversary of its inception Sunday evening in Turner hall, by giving an entertainment of more than ordinary merit. Local Vasa members feel that this is a time for congratulation on the expansion of the past year, as the lodge, during that short space of time, has become one of Moline's largest fraternal organizations. Program for the Sunday evening event, as announced by John L. Larson, in charge, today:

Piano solo—Miss Dahlheim.
Address of welcome—Oscar Ring.
Solo, Irosendaft—Edwin Johnson.
Address—C. G. Lundberg.
Declaration—H. Widell.
Duet, En Natt and Trollhatton—Misses Lofquist and Johnson.
Piano solo—Miss Dahlheim.
Review—H. Widell.
Accordian solo—Oscar Larson.
Solo—Edwin Johnson.

A short business session was held by Hildur lodge No. 13, Ladies of Vikings, in Swedish Olive hall last evening. Due to the Olive Male concert in the high school auditorium, the session was short and only regular business was transacted.

Six applications were balloted upon at the meeting of Belle K camp No. 102, R. N. A., last evening and two candidates whose applications had been read previously were initiated into the order. After the business session a guessing contest furnished the diversion of the evening, prizes going to Anna Palmquist and Margaret Wood. Plans are being made to have another guessing contest of some sort after the next meeting, which comes March 2.

Elks of Moline lodge No. 235 spent most of last evening's meeting in nominating candidates for the ensuing year. These will be elected at the next meeting, which will come the first Thursday in March. The gathering will also be a memorable one for local Elks inasmuch as it will be the last in the old hall over the former postoffice site. Before the third Thursday of March, intention is to be in the new rooms over the State bank, where the lodge will meet until the new home which is its ultimate aim, has been secured.

Moline encampment No. 153, I. O. O. F., put on degree work for the candidates brought in during the recent membership campaign, at the meeting last evening. Next meeting—first Thursday in March—will witness completion of the degree work and the benedictions of the encampment, who were vanquished in the recent campaign, will have an opportunity to do the housewifely act of furnishing the victorious bachelors with a banquet. All new candidates will also "get in" on the banquet.

Sacred Heart court No. 1691, Catholic Order of Foresters, has completed arrangements for a patriotic meeting at the next regular meeting night, Monday, Feb. 21. The affair will be in the nature of a joint celebration of Lincoln and Washington's birthdays and will be held in regular meeting place of the court, Sacred Heart school hall.

All members and their families are requested to attend and a cordial invitation is extended all who wish to participate in the event to be present that evening. The young ladies' organiza-

tion and the school children have been specially invited. The program:

Song, "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp"—Chorus.
Address of welcome—Ed Coryn.
"Our Order"—Ed Andries.
Song, "America"—Chorus.
Address, Abraham Lincoln—Rev. A. V. D. Wyngaerde.
Gettysburg address—A. DeTaeve.
Song, "Our Flag"—Chorus.
Address, "George Washington"—Rev. J. B. Culemans.
Song, "Potomac's Stream"—Chorus.
Address, "The Legacy They Left Us"—F. Spriet.
Finale, "Illinois"—Assemblage.

Dr. C. P. Sterck will act as chairman. Doors will be open at 7:30 and festivities will commence at 8. No refreshments will be served, announces the committee in advance, but it has been hinted there will be an original sort of treat for the youngsters and those who have outgrown the youngster stage. After the program, cards, games and a general good time will be in order.

St. George temple No. 87, Pythian Sisters, held its regular business meeting last evening and reached decision to hold the last of the series of card parties the first part of March. These affairs have been in progress for some time and have proved very enjoyable ones. Regular business was also transacted and the membership contest was discussed. This will close last Thursday in March and a substantial increase in membership is expected as result.

ENGINEERS HEAR SAFETY LECTURE

Members of Moline Local Are Addressed by James S. Smirz of Chicago at Monthly Meeting.

James S. Smirz of Chicago discussed the "safety first" principle before stationary engineers of Moline local at their meeting last evening. Mr. Smirz, who is connected with the Republic Globe Indemnity company, advanced the thought that if the much discussed "safety first" principle is to ever result in any material decrease in the great number of human lives which annually pay the toll of the crime of carelessness, it must be through teaching the principle to children in the public schools, that the idea may be before them constantly while they grow to manhood and womanhood.

Three million lives are annually lost through carelessness, stated the Chicago man. This is largely a result of careless habits, he said, and these habits must be avoided in children of the rising generation. Mr. Smirz also told of the lessons given Chicago children.

Mr. Smirz's talk was supplemented by safety first pictures shown by W. E. Mack, extension secretary of the Moline Y. M. C. A.

City Briefs

Buy a home of Reidy Bros.
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Thirty members of Trio lodge, No. 57, A. F. & A. M., are planning to go to Coal Valley this evening where third degree work will be conferred. The 7:30 Rock Island train will be taken at the Twentieth street station, the visitors being returned by auto to Moline, where a special car on the Prospect Park line will be in readiness to bring the Rock Island Masons home. Last evening five candidates were given the first degree at the meeting of Trio lodge.

PERSONAL POINTS

Dr. Joseph De Silva returned last evening from Chicago, where he went on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Wells, 2808 Eighth avenue, are the parents of a baby daughter, who arrived last night.

Dr. R. B. Williams and Dr. O. T. Dwinell left for Kewanee today to attend the funeral of Dr. Alexander Smith.

Major M. C. Porter, Captain J. S. Brown, Captain J. M. Evey, Lieutenant James Bereth and Lieutenant Frank McElvain, all of Monmouth, were in the city yesterday enroute home from Sterling where they attended the funeral of Colonel W. F. Lawrie, commanding officer of the Sixth regiment of the Illinois National guard.

Miss Augusta Zirndorfer, Bloomington, arrived in the city yesterday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Andick, 1229 Second avenue, and other friends in the city.

B. A. Stewart has gone to Peoria to attend the first meeting of creditors in the bankruptcy case of Harry Roth.

MOLINE PLOW WILL PUBLISH MAGAZINE

First issue of The Modern Plowman, house organ published by the Moline Plow company to supplement its regular advertising of the Flying Plowman is full of information and helpful advice for the farmer.

It is to appear quarterly, in January, April, July and October, and the first issue is of more than 300,000 copies. The publication goes free to users of the Flying Dutchman line and the circulation promise is to be greatly increased as names of farmers to receive it are sent in by dealers.

The paper is to be published in the home offices of the Moline Plow company there, Warren L. Eastman, advertising manager, being in charge.

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Coats for Spring \$8.50 up to \$25.00

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THE DRESSES
The showing of dresses for this spring encompasses every correct style—very attractive and convincing, all the most desirable colors in plain and fancy silk materials, radiantly different from the styles of former seasons.

THE SUITS
Exquisitely charming suit models—this first showing includes all the latest fashion-approved fabrics; never have we shown such a diversity of styles, in designs of the most extreme sort to the more conservative plain tailored modes.

THE COATS
A truly vast array of the new coat models, the variety is amazing, hardly any two alike, each model exhibits natty effects with extremely full skirts, entirely different from the past season's styles both in fabric cut and tailoring.

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\$2.75 Wash Boiler . . . \$1.79
Dover Egg Beater . . . 10c
25c can Sani Flush . . . 21c
Shelf Paper, 100-foot pad 35c

15c Silver Spoons . . . 80c
Enamel Pot Covers . . . 10c
25c Cedar Oil . . . 19c
50c Cedar Oil . . . 39c
Shopping Baskets . . . 25c
Gas Globes, frosted . . . 10c
White Chambers . . . 23c

DIETZ TAKES CASES UNDER ADVISEMENT

Judge G. O. Dietz in the Moline city court yesterday granted one divorce and took three other cases under advisement. Divorce granted was to Lawrence Murphy from Nellie Murphy. Cases under advisement are: Agnes Surr v. William Surr; Mary Ann Griffin v. Harry Griffin; Alex Gwinn Maddox v. Ada Maddox.

\$100,000 DAMAGE DONE IN COPPER MINE FIRE

Butte, Mont., Feb. 18.—Fire which caused the loss Monday night of 21 lives in the Anaconda Copper company's Pennsylvania mine still was raging today, the damage already done being estimated at \$100,000. Concrete bulkheads are being thrown up in various parts of the mine to check the fire's spread.

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Fancy large Sweet Potatoes, seven pounds . . . 25c
Medium sized Grapefruit, six for . . . 25c
Pure Lard, pound . . . 11c
Dromedary Dates, 3 packages . . . 25c
Figs, three packages . . . 25c
Best Soda and Oyster Crackers, 2 pounds . . . 15c
Regular 30c Peaberry Coffee, for Saturday . . . 20c
Regular 35c Steel Cut Coffee for . . . 24c
All grades canned Milk, 7 cans . . . 25c
Libby's 40c can Asparagus, for Saturday . . . 29c
25c can Cherries in syrup for . . . 19c
Three 5c sacks of Salt for . . . 10c
Three 5c boxes Matches for . . . 10c
Lennox, Globe and Diamond C Soap, 3 for . . . 10c
Regular 20c Catsup, large bottle . . . 14c
Large cans Spinach, 2 for . . . 25c
Sauerkraut and Pumpkin, 3 cans . . . 25c
Peas, Corn and Tomatoes, 2 cans . . . 15c
Early June Sifted Peas, 15c can for . . . 10c
Fancy Refugee Beans, 15c can for . . . 10c
Calumet and Rumford Baking Powder, 25c can . . . 19c
Cracked Hominy, 10 pounds . . . 25c
All kinds Pancake Flours, 3 packages for . . . 25c
Large bunches Green Onions, 3 for . . . 10c
Fresh Radishes, 3 bunches . . . 10c
Best grade of Peaches, Apricots and Pears, 25c can . . . 19c
Gloss Soap, eight 5c bars for . . . 25c
Grandma's Washing Powder, 25c size . . . 15c
Three 5c boxes Sardines . . . 10c
Large Red Apples, peck . . . 25c
Regular 10c Rice, 2 pounds . . . 15c
Oranges, Sweet Navel, regular 35c, Saturday, 27 1-2c
Sweet Florida Oranges, regular 20c, per dozen . . . 15c
Three 5c boxes Argo Starch . . . 10c
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